





# Today's Advertisements.

## ARMY CONTRACTS.

TENDERS will be RECEIVED for the SUPPLY OF PROVISIONS, and for Services as below, required for the Troops at Hongkong for 12 Months from 1st April next.

## SUPPLIES.

- 1.—FOR TROOPS.—Beef, Groceries, Coal, Wood, Oil, etc.
- 2.—FOR HOSPITALS.—Beef, Fowls, Groceries, Fruits, Wines, and Medical Comforts generally.

## SERVICES.

- 3.—TRANSPORT.—Supply of Launches, Cargo Boats and Coolie Labour, etc., etc.
- 4.—Washing, Bedding and Clothing.
- 5.—Sweeping, Sweeping Chimneys, and Supplying Dry Earth for Latrines.
- 6.—Lighting and Supplying Oil for Lamps.
- 7.—Purchase of Empty Hogsheads.

TENDERS must be made on Forms, which, together with any further information required, may be obtained at HEADQUARTER OFFICE, B, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. Daily.

APPLICATION FOR TENDER FORMS must be made before NOON on THURSDAY, 5th March, 1896.

The Secretary of State for War is not blind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

Headquarters Office, B,  
Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [400]

## THEATRE ROYAL

## CITY HALL

## OVIDE MUSIN

GRAND CONCERTS ON  
SATURDAY, the 29th February,  
MONDAY, the 2nd March,  
and  
WEDNESDAY, the 4th March.

## ARTISTS.—

OVIDE MUSIN,  
Vocalist.  
ANNIE LOUISE MUSIN,  
Coloratura Soprano.  
EDWARD SCHARF,  
Pianist.

TICKETS now on Sale at W. ROBINSON & Co.

PRICES.—\$3, \$2 & \$1.

REMEMBER THE DATES!

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [405]

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of 8 PER CENT. per Share and BONUS of 4 PER CENT. per Share for the Six Months ending 31st December, 1895, DECLARED at Tuesday's Ordinary Meeting, will be PAYABLE at the Premises of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after WEDNESDAY, the 25th February, and SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply for DIVIDEND WARRANTS at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 14, PRAYA CENTRAL.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
R. COOKE,  
Acting General Manager.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [403]

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an

EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of

SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the SOCIETY'S

HEAD OFFICE, No. 4, PRAYA CENTRAL, Hongkong,

on THURSDAY, the 28th March, 1896, at NOON,

to consider and if thought fit to pass the following

Special Resolution:—

That in Article of the words "SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS" be eliminated and in

place thereof the words "TWELVE THOUSAND DOLLARS" be inserted.

Should the resolution be duly passed it will

be submitted for Confirmation to a Second

Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently

convened.

By Order of the Board,

N. J. EDE,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [404]

"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FROM LONDON AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship

"GLENORCHY,"

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees

of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their

Goods are being landed at their risk into the

Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf

and Godown Company, situated at Kowloon,

whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice

to the contrary be given before NOON TO-

DAY.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 3rd

proximo will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all Claims

for damages and/or shortages not later than

the 10th proximo, otherwise they will not be

recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [397]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

"ARRATOON APCAR"

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees

of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods

will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining

on board after the 27th instant, will be landed at

Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns

of the Wharf and Warehouse and Storage Com-

pany, Limited, Wharf.

Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE and

PENANG are requested to take IMMEDIATE

DELIVERY of their Goods from alongside, such

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will

be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DAVID SASSOON, BONS & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [398]

# Today's Advertisements.

## ZETLAND L.D.O.E.

No. 525, E.C.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 25th instant, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely. Instead of at the hour previously advertised. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend.  
Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [359]



## VICTORIA PRECEPTORY.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the VICTORIA PRECEPTORY will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY, the 28th instant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Sir Knights are cordially invited to attend.  
Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [401]

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI.

(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, HANKOW and PORTS on the YANGTSE.)  
THE Company's Steamship

"DARDANUS."

Captain Gregory, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 26th instant, at 10 A.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [385]

## CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR AMOY, FOOCHEW AND SHANGHAI.

THE Steamship

"FOOCHEW."

Captain Blackburne, will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 26th instant, at 10 A.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [358]

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship

"TANTALUS."

Captain Hannan, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 24th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [396]

## DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.

THE Company's Steamship

"THALES."

Captain H. Bathurst, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 27th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [394]

## DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUI.

THE Company's Steamship

"FORMOSA."

Captain Hodgins, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 27th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [406]

## FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship

"ARRATOON APCAR."

Captain J. E. Hansen, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 3rd March, at 3 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, BONS & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [402]

## FOR SHANGHAI (DIRECT).

THE Steamship

"ADOWA."

Captain Owens, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 4th March, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BODWELL, CARILL & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [395]

OREGON RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COMPANY'S PACIFIC

STEAMSHIP LINE.

## CHINA AND JAPAN.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1896.

(Subject to Alteration.)

Chittagong ..... Saturday ..... 14th March.

TAKING PASSENGERS AND CARGO FOR UNITED STATES AND CANADA AT THROUGH RATES.

THE Steamship

"CHITTAGONG."

will be despatched hence for HONOLULU, VICTORIA, B.C., and PORTLAND, OREGON, via KOBE and YOKOHAMA, on SATURDAY, the 14th March.

Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Ports should be in QUADRUPPLICATE, and one Copy must be sent forward by the Steamer to the care of the GENERAL FREIGHT AGENT, Oregon Railway and Navigation Co., Portland, Oregon.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to

SHEWAN & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [407]

## FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

(Following the S.S. *Falladen Hall*.)

THE Steamship

"QUEEN OLGA."

Captain Harris, will be despatched for the above Port on or about 15th March.

For Freight, apply to

SHEWAN & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1896. [408]

# Today's Advertisements.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

WE the Undersigned beg to notify the Public that we have this Day PURCHASED from Messrs. WING CHEONG & Co. the STOCK-IN-TRADE, FIXTURES and GOODWILL of their BUSINESS as MERCHANTS and SHIPCHANDLERS, and the Business will be conducted from this 18th day of February, 1896, as heretofore.

FOOK CHEONG & Co.,

No. 44, PRAYA CENTRAL,

Managing Partner.

Hongkong, 18th February, 1896. [399]

## TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSES:—

HOUSES IN RYON TERRACE.

No. 3, ALVINGTON TERRACE.

No. 17, LINDHURST TERRACE.

No. 6, VICTORIA VIEW, KOWLOON.

No. 21, ELGIN STREET.

Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT

& AGENCY Co., Ltd.

Hongkong, 25th February 1896 [39]

## Intimations.

DAKIN, CRICKSHANK & COMPANY, LIMITED,

VICTORIA DISPENSARY,

HONGKONG.

AERATED WATERS.

SIMPLE AERATED WATER.

SODA WATER.

LEMONADE.

GINGER ALE.

SARSAPARILLA.

RASPBERRYADE, &c.

DAKIN, CRICKSHANK & Co.'s WATERS are

made under the constant supervision of a duly

qualified English Chemist and will bear compa-

risons with the best English Manufactures.

Special terms to HOTELS, CLUBS, MESSIES and

other Large Consumers.

Any complaints should be addressed to the

Manager.

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1896. [1650]

## A. S. WATSON & CO.,

LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

## WINE AND

## SPIRITS.

ALL these are selected by our London House,

bought direct at first hand, imported in wood

and bottled by ourselves, thus saving all inter-

mediate profits, and enabling us to supply the

best goods at MODERATE PRICES.

## PRICE LIST.

with Full Details, to be had on Application.

PORT after removal should be rested a month

before use. When required for drinking at

once it should be ordered to be decanted at

the Dispensary before being sent out.

SHERRY.—Excellent Dinner and After Dinner.

Wines of very superior Vintage. All are

true Xeres Wines.

CLARET.—Our Claret, including the lowest

prices, are guaranteed to be the genuine

product of the juice of the grape and are not

artificially made from raisins and currents

as is generally the case with Cheap Wines.







## Intimations.

MR. CHADWICK KEW.  
(LATE OF POATE & NOBLE.)  
HAS OPENED his Dental Rooms at No. 62, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, a few doors from Messrs. GAUPP & Co.  
Teeth filled permanently, from \$1.00 upwards.  
CROWN and BRIDGEWORK inserted and TEETH EXTRACTED.

PLATES A SPECIALITY.  
Hongkong, 7th June, 1895. [15]

## TO SHIPMASTERS.

ENQUIRE where your FRESH WATER is obtained by the Water Boilers; as FOUL WATER is the cause of much sickness on board Ship.  
We are the only Water-Boat Company in Hongkong exclusively supplying FILTERED WATER.

Call Flag "W."

J. W. KEW & Co.,  
STEAM WATER-BOAT CO.,  
18, PRINCE CENTRAL.  
Hongkong, 7th October, 1895. [16]

CHS. J. GAUPP & CO.  
CHRONOMETER, WATCH, AND CLOCK-MAKERS, JEWELLERS, SILVER-SMITHS, AND OPTICIANS.  
CHARTS AND BOOKS.  
NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS.  
Sole Agents for Louis Adema's Watches, awarded the highest Prizes at every Exhibition; and for Voigtlander and Sohn's CELEBRATED OPERA GLASSES, MARINE GLASSES, and SPYGLASSES.  
Nos. 54 & 56 Queen's Road Central. [17]

## MEE CHEUNG,

PHOTOGRAPHER.  
TOP FLOOR OF ICE HOUSE, 101, HONG KONG ROAD.

IS now in a position, in his New and Commodious Premises, to equip, as heretofore, ALL PHOTOGRAPHIC ART PRACTICED in the Colony or in any part of the Far East. GROUPS AND VIEWS a specialty.  
Hongkong 21st September, 1894. [18]

## GRIMAULT'S SYRUP

OF  
HYPO-PROSPHITE OF LIME  
FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST

All suffering from Catarrh, Consumption, Obstructive Coughs or Colds and those affected with diseases of the Chest, Lungs and Bronchial Tubes, should take

GRIMAULT'S SYRUP OF HYPO-PROSPHITE OF LIME  
Prescribed by the leading medical authorities in all countries for the last twenty-five years with the greatest success, it continues to retain its reputation where all other medicines have failed.  
Grimault's Syrup immediately arrests the Cough, Spitting of blood and Night-sweats, and the Appetite improves rapidly—a fact soon demonstrated by an increase of weight and healthy appearance.  
Grimault's Syrup has a rose colour, and is sold in flat oval bottles. Beware of Imitations.  
GRIMAULT & Co., Paris. Sold by all Chemists.

## Shipping.

## STEAMERS.

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS.  
FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.  
THE Company's Steamship

"NERITE"  
Captain W. David, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 28th instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 19th February, 1896. [19]

JAVA CHINA JAPAN LINE OF STEAMERS.  
UNDER MANAGEMENT OF THE ROYAL PACKET NAVIGATION COMPANY OF NETHERLANDS INDIA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS.  
(Subject to Alterations.)  
JAVA HONGKONG, YOKOHAMA, KOBE, AMOI, HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, JAVA.  
FROM HONGKONG TO JAVA.  
S.S. *Federalia* ..... February.  
S.S. *Germania* ..... March.  
S.S. *Cassius* ..... April.  
TO JAPAN.  
S.S. *Federalia* ..... April.  
S.S. *Germania* ..... May.  
S.S. *Cassius* ..... June.  
General Agents for China & Japan, LAUTS, WEGENER & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 24th February, 1896. [19]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
THE Company's Steamship

"DIOMED"  
Captain Bartlett, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 5th March.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, 19th February, 1896. [19]

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS.  
FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.  
THE Company's Steamship

"SPONDILUS"  
Captain W. Edward, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 2nd March.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 24th February, 1896. [19]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, FOR SANDAKAN AND KUDAT.  
THE Steamship

"CENTAUR"  
Captain Williams, will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 5th March.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, 24th February, 1896. [19]

## Intimations.

## THE UNANIMOUS OPINION

Of all who consider the question is given in favour of

## BORVIL

THE GUARANTEED PRODUCT OF PRIME OX BEEF.

50 TIMES MORE NOURISHING THAN MEAT EXTRACT OR BEEF TEA  
HOME MADE OR OTHERWISE.

SOLE AGENTS—

WATKINS & CO.,

APOTHECARIES' HALL, 66, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, 21st February, 1896. [15]

## KELLY &amp; WALSH, LD.

JUST RECEIVED, A FRESH SUPPLY OF

SALTER'S FAMOUS BLACK GUT TENNIS RACQUETS.

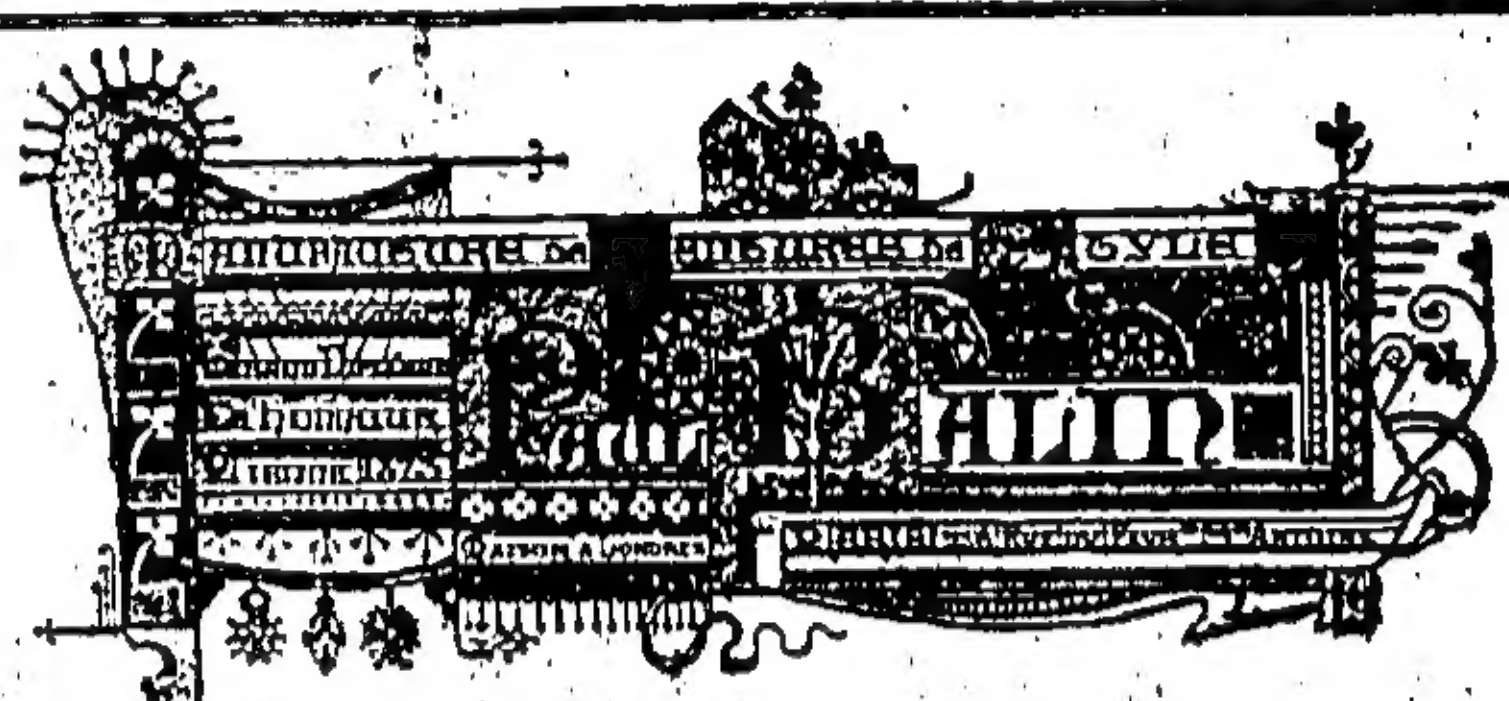
ALSO IN STOCK.

"THE DEMON" and other makes.

TENNIS RACQUET PRESSES.

TENNIS BALLS and TENNIS GEAR.

Hongkong, 12th February, 1896. [16]



Apply to JOHN D. HUTCHISON, Esq., Hongkong.  
Agents for M. OPPENHEIMER & Co., Paris.

## Shipping.

## STEAMERS.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE Steamship  
"KANSU,"  
Captain Sommeville, will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 26th instant, at 3 P.M.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, 24th February, 1896. [17]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI AND CHEFOO.

THE Steamship  
"KWEILIN,"  
Captain Harris, will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 26th instant, at 3 P.M.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, 24th February, 1896. [17]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN (DIRECT).

THE Steamship  
"NANCHANG,"  
Captain Falsen, will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 26th instant, at 3 P.M.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, 19th February, 1896. [17]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN (DIRECT).

THE Steamship  
"HIROSHIMA MARU,"  
Captain Anderson, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 28th instant, at 5 P.M.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA, Agents.  
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1896. [18]

FOR TIENTSIN (DIRECT).

THE Steamship  
"CHING PING,"  
Captain Blake, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 2nd March.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
CARLOWITZ & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 21st February, 1896. [17]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN.

THE Steamship  
"KWEIYANG,"  
Captain Dawson, will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 3rd March.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, 21st February, 1896. [17]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN.

THE Steamship  
"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.  
FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship  
"GLENFRUIN,"  
Captain Duke, R.N.R., will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 3rd March.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1896. [17]

## Shipping.

## STEAMERS.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Steamship  
"TSINAN,"  
Captain Ramsey, will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 26th instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, 21st February, 1896. [17]

JAVA, CHINA, JAPAN LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR JAVA, VIA AMOI, SWATOW AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship  
"FEDERATION,"  
Captain Pratley, will be despatched from Hongkong for above destinations on THURSDAY, the 27th instant, at 5 P.M.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
LAUTS, WEGENER & Co., General Agents.  
Hongkong, 24th February, 1896. [17]

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship  
"PORT ADELAIDE,"  
Captain Morgan, will be despatched for the Port on or about the 28th instant, followed by the  
S.S. "CHAZEE"  
on or about 15th March.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 12th February, 1896. [17]

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.  
(Calling at Port Darwin and Queensland Ports, and taking through Cargo to Adelaide, New Zealand, Tasmania, &c.)

THE Steamship

"AIRLIE,"  
Captain Kock, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 29th instant, at 2 P.M.  
This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions throughout the voyage.  
A Stewardess and a fully qualified Surgeon are carried.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 21st February, 1896. [17]

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A. L. British Ship  
"BRODICK CASTLE,"  
Ferguson, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
SHEWAN & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 5th December, 1895. [16]

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A. L. British Ship  
"QUEEN ELIZABETH,"  
Fulton, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
SHEWAN & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 18th February, 1896. [16]

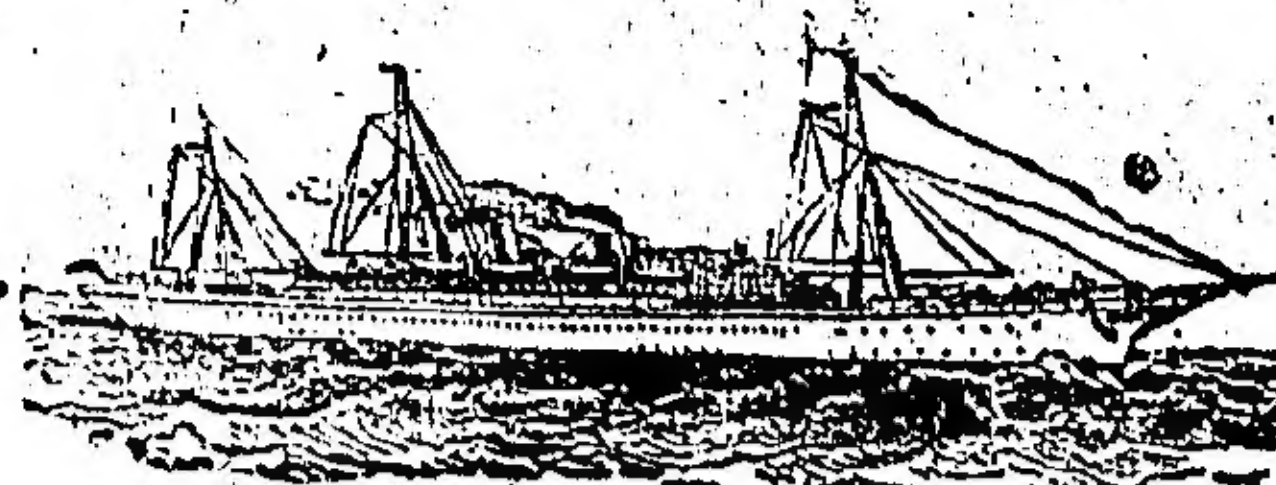
FOR NEW YORK.

THE 100 A. L. German Ship  
"CERASTER,"  
A. Peters, Master, will leave as above on or about the 28th March, 1896.  
For Freight, apply to  
CARLOWITZ & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, 12th February, 1896. [16]

## Mails.

## CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.

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SAFETY. SPEED. PUNCTUALITY.  
THE FAST ROUTE BETWEEN CHINA, JAPAN AND EUROPE, VIA CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES.

(CALLING AT SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA AND VICTORIA, B.C.)  
Twin Screw Steamships—4000 Tons—10,000 Horse Power—Speed 19 knots.

## PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN...Comdr. G. A. Lee, R.N.R.....WEDNESDAY, 18th March.  
EMPEROR OF CHINA...Comdr. R. Archibald, R.N.R.....WEDNESDAY, 8th April.  
EMPEROR OF INDIA...Comdr. H. Pybus, R.N.R.....WEDNESDAY, 29th April.

THE magnificent Steamships of this Line pass through the famous INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and usually make the voyage YOKOHAMA TO VANCOUVER (B.C.) in 12 DAYS, making close connection at Vancouver with the PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP LINES, and the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, leaving there daily, and cross the Continent FROM THE PACIFIC TO THE ATLANTIC WITHOUT CHANGE. Close connection is made at Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, New York and Boston with all Trans-Atlantic Lines, which passengers to Great Britain and the Continent are given choice of.

Passengers Booked through to all principal points and AROUND THE WORLD. Return tickets to various points at reduced rates. Good for 4, 6, 9 and 12 months.  
SPECIAL RATES (First-class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Navy, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments.

CIRCULAR PACIFIC TICKETS Hongkong to Vancouver, Vancouver to Sydney Australia, via Honolulu, and Sydney to Hongkong via Brisbane and Torres Straits. Good for 9 months.

The attractive features of this Company's route, embraces its PALATIAL STEAMSHIPS, (second to none in the world), the LUXURIANCE OF ITS TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAINS (the Company having received the highest award for same at recent Chicago World's Exhibition) and the diversity of MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAIN AND LAKE SCENERY through which the Line passes.

THE DINING CARS and MOUNTAIN HOTELS of this route are owned and operated by the Company, and their appointments and Cuisine are unequalled.

For further information, Maps, Guide Books, Rates of Passage, &c., apply to

D. E. BROWN, General Agent,  
Parker's Street.

## OCCIDENTAL &amp; ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE.

VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

Coptic (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea & Yokohama) ..... Tuesday, 3rd March, at Noon.

Gaika (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea & Yokohama & Hon.) ..... Saturday, 21st March, at Noon, 1896.

Belgit (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea & Yokohama) ..... Wednesday, 8th April, at Noon.

THE Company's Steamship

"COPTIC"

will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA AND YOKOHAMA, on TUESDAY, the 3rd March, 1896, at Noon. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at Honolulu and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application.

Passengers holding through ORDERS TO EUROPE have the choice of Overland Rail Routes from San Francisco, including the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER and RIO GRANDE, and the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, also the PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP LINE, on payment of \$4 in addition to the regular tariff rate.

Passengers holding ORDERS FOR OVERLAND CITIES in the United States have, between SAN FRANCISCO and CHICAGO, the option of the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER and RIO GRANDE, and other direct connecting Railways, and from Chicago to destination the choice of direct lines.

Particulars of the various routes can be had on application.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Navy, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, to European Officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Passengers who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares for China and Japan to Europe.

All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full, and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company No. 7, PRINCE CENTRAL.

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, 3rd February, 1896. [18]

## NOTICE.

THE BEST PREVENTIVE OF ALL INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

JEYES FLUID  
THE BEST DISINFECTANT

AVOID ALL RISK OF OUTBREAK BY ITS USE.

W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,  
New Buildings.

Hongkong, 24th March, 1896. [19]

## Mails.

## NORDEUTSCHER LOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN AND HAMBURG. PORTS IN THE LEVANT. BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS: ALSO LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES IN RUSSIA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

Prinz Heinrich ..... Tuesday ..... 3rd March.  
Prinzess ..... Tuesday ..... 31st March.  
Sachsen ..... Tuesday ..... 28th April.  
Karlshafen ..... Tuesday ..... 26th May.  
Prinz Heinrich ..... Tuesday ..... 23rd June.

ON TUESDAY, the 3rd day of March 1896, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship "PRINZ HEINRICH," Captain W. Schindler, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, calling at NAPLES and GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on SATURDAY, the 29th Feb. Cargo and Specie will be received on board until 5 P.M. on MONDAY the 2nd March, and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon on MONDAY, the 2nd March. Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than 25 lbs. and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess. Linen can be washed on board.

For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1896. [17]

## NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILROAD COMPANIES.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN. THE attention of Passengers is directed to the very cheap rates offered by this Line to the PACIFIC COAST and to the INTERIOR and EASTERN CITIES of the UNITED STATES and CANADA and to EUROPE.

HONGKONG TO LONDON \$400. Excellent accommodation. First-class Table. DOCTOR and STEWARDESSE carried.

HONGKONG TO NEW YORK \$350. The Railroad travelling is second to none on the American Continent. Magnificent Scenery of the ROCKY and CASCADE MOUNTAINS. The YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK route. Passengers to EUROPE may proceed by one of the first class ATLANTIC MAIL LINES.

HONGKONG TO TACOMA \$225. Rates of Passage to other Ports on application. Special rates allowed to members of Government Services.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

Hankow ..... 3594 ..... Tuesday ..... Mar. 10.  
Tacoma ..... 3549 ..... Tuesday ..... April 7.  
Victoria ..... 3567 ..... Tuesday ..... May 5.

THE Steamship

"HANKOW,"  
Captain W. S. Orr, sailing at Noon, on TUESDAY, the 10th March, will proceed to VICTORIA B.C. and TACOMA, WASH., via SHANGHAI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA.

Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Ports, and to Canadian and United States Ports.

Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Ports should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of the Freight Agent, Northern Pacific Railroad, Tacoma, Wash.

Parcels must be sent to our Office with address marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day previous to sailing.

For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, 10th February, 1896. [18]

## RICKMERS LINE.

REGULAR MONTHLY SERVICE FROM BREMEN, MIDDELSBRO, ANTWERP AND HAMBURG.

VIA SUEZ CANAL TO PENANG, SINGAPORE, HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, HIOGO AND YOKOHAMA.

FROM HOME. PROPOSED SAILINGS OF THE NEW ELEGANT STEAMERS OF THE RICKMERS LINE, RICKMERS, RHTPOWING AND SHIPBUILDING COMPANY OF BREMEN. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATIONS.)

Dorothea Rickmers ..... 3845 ..... December.  
Duke Rickmers ..... 3700 ..... January.  
Maria Rickmers ..... 5500 ..... February.

Hilma Rickmers ..... 3233 ..... March.  
Sophie Rickmers ..... 3249 ..... April.  
Ellen Rickmers ..... 5500 ..... May.  
Elizabeth Rickmers ..... 5500 ..... June.

FROM THE EAST.

VIA SINGAPORE. TO HAVRE, BREMEN AND HAMBURG, and other Continental Ports, if sufficient Indemnity is offered.

(Taking Cargo at BANGKOK, SINGAPORE, AMSTERDAM and ROTTERDAM.)

PROPOSED SAILINGS. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATIONS.)

Dorothea Rickmers ..... 3845 ..... March.  
Duke Rickmers ..... 3700 ..... April.  
Maria Rickmers ..... 5500 ..... May.

Hilma Rickmers ..... 3233 ..... June.  
Sophie Rickmers ..... 3249 ..... July.  
Ellen Rickmers ..... 5500 ..... August.  
Elizabeth Rickmers ..... 5500 ..... September.

THE Steamers are all FIRST-CLASS. RISKS and are supplied with all the modern Appliances and powerful Engines. For further Particulars, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 10th February, 1896. [19]